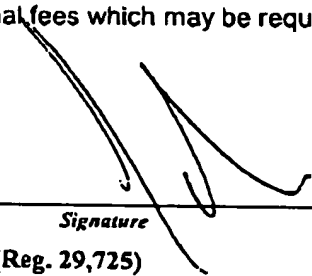


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> (Large Entity)			Docket No. <b>T00001-0327</b>	
In R Application Of: <b>MENEZES, Alfred J. et al.</b>				
Serial No. <b>09/745,488</b>	Filing Date <b>December 26, 2000</b>	Examiner <b>PEESO, Thomas R.</b>	Group Art Unit <b>2132</b>	
Invention: <b>METHOD FOR PREVENTING KEY SHARE ATTACKS</b>				
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>  This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>November 21, 2003</u> above-identified application. <small style="margin-left: 100px;">Date</small>				
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> One month      <input type="checkbox"/> Two months      <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months      <input type="checkbox"/> Four months      <input type="checkbox"/> Five months            from: <u>February 21, 2004</u>  <small style="margin-left: 100px;">Date</small> </div> <div style="width: 45%;">           until: <u>May 21, 2004</u>  <small style="margin-left: 100px;">Date</small> </div> </div>				
The fee for the extension of time is <b>\$950</b> and is to be paid as follows: <b>Technology Center 2100</b>				
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <b>150633</b> <input type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. <b>150633</b>				
<div style="text-align: center;">   <small>Signature</small> </div>			Dated: <b>May 21, 2004</b>	
<b>John R.S. Orange (Reg. 29,725)</b> <b>McCarthy Tetrault LLP</b> <b>Suite 4700, Box 48</b> <b>66 Wellington Street West</b> <b>Toronto Dominion Bank Tower</b> <b>Toronto, Ontario</b> <b>M5K 1E6 Canada</b>			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">         I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.   <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; height: 20px; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div> <small style="text-align: center;">Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</small>   <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; height: 20px; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div> <small style="text-align: center;">Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</small> </div>	
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